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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RAPID ACCESS OF PROGRAM GUIDE INFORMATION

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- ☒ 5 sheets of drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Company Ltd.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.2
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO Form 1449 and copy of 1 references.

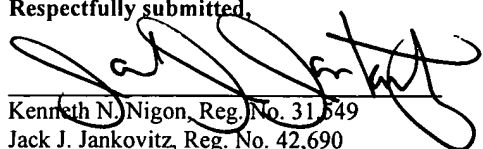
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| Basic Fee | | | | \$345 | OR | | \$ 690 |
| Total Claims | 15-20= | 0 | x \$9 | \$ | OR | x \$18 | \$ 0 |
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